IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

BUNN ET AL.

Examiner:

Unassigned

Serial No.:

Unassigned

Group Art Unit:

Unassigned

Filed:

December 22, 2003

Docket No.:

END920030045US1

(IBME.003PA)

Title:

METHOD, APPARATUS AND PROGRAM STORAGE DEVICE FOR

PROVIDING NETWORK PERIMETER SECURITY ASSESSMENT

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

Express Mail' mailing label number: EV 390308365 US

Date of Deposit: December 22, 2003

I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service 'Express Mail Post Office To Addressee' service under 37 CFR 1.10 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450,

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Name: Kathleen McDevitt

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (37 C.F.R. §1.97(b))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

This statement should be considered because it is submitted either within three months of the filing date or before the first Office Action of the above-identified application. Accordingly, no fee is due for consideration of the items listed on the enclosed Form 1449.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2), and the 05 August 2003 Official Gazette Notice, only a copy of each foreign document or non-U.S. patent/application listed on the enclosed Form 1449 is provided.

Please note that any notations or markings on the attached documents do not reflect particular relevance, or lack thereof, to the present application, nor were they necessarily made by

anyone affiliated with the prosecution of the present application.

No representation is made that a reference is "prior art" within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 and 103 and Applicants reserve the right, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 or otherwise, to

establish that the reference(s) are not "prior art." Moreover, Applicants do not represent that a

reference has been thoroughly reviewed or that any relevance of any portion of a reference is

intended.

Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of

M.P.E.P. 609, it is requested that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked

as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, to the undersigned with the next official

communication.

Respectfully submitted,

Crawford Maunu PLLC 1270 Northland Drive

Suite 390

St. Paul, MN 55120

651/686-6633

Date: December 22, 2003

By:

David W. Lynch

Reg. No. 36,204

2

Date Mailed: December 22, 2003

FORM 1449*	INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT	Docket Number: END920030045US1	Application Number: Unassigned			
	IN AN APPLICATION	Applicant: BUNN et al.				
(Use several sheets if necessary)		Filing Date: December 22, 2003	Group Art Unit: Unassigned			

EXAMINER	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE	
INITIAL						IF AFFICO	TOTAL
	US 2002/0026591 A1	02/28/2002	HARTLEY et al.				
	US 2002/0147803 A1	10/10/2002	DODD et al.				
	US 2003/0028803 A1	02/06/2003	BUNKER, V et al.				
	US 2003/0056116 A1	03/20/2003	BUNKER, V et al.				
	US 2003/0093696 A1	05/15/2003	SUGIMOTO				
	US 2003/0097588 A1	05/22/2003	FISCHMAN et al.				
	5,892,903	04/06/1999	KLAUS				
-							
							
			OREIGN PATENT DOCUMEN	TC.	Ll		
	BOOLINESIT NO	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSL	ATION
	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	COONTRI	OLAGO	00000100	YES	NO
						120	- :-
		 					
				 			
·		<u> </u>			<u> </u>		
						· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	

EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED						
EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form for next communication to the Applicant.							